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Sir:

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO JANUARY 26, 2005 FINAL OFFICE ACTION AND  
PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

This Amendment is submitted in response to the January 26, 2005 Final Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the January 26, 2005 Final Office Action was originally due on April 26, 2005. Applicants hereby petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(3) for a one-month extension of time. The fee for a one-month extension of time for a small entity is sixty dollars (\$60.00) and a check for that amount is enclosed. With a one-month extension of time, a response to the January 26, 2005 Final Office Action is due May 26, 2005. Accordingly, this response is being timely filed.

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